

MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALITY CODE

FIRST THREE CHARACTERS

(Two numbers and one letter that identify the MOS without regard to level of skill

FOURTH CHARACTER (42A1)

This is a number. With the first three characters, it shows skill and grade level in the

MOS SKILL LEVELS

- 1 – E1 thru E4
- 2 - E5
- 3 - E6
- 4 - E7
- 5 - E8 and E9

FIFTH CHARACTER (42A1O):

This will be letter or number. It shows Special Qualification Identifiers (SQI) common to a number of positions and MOS. The letter O will always be inserted as the fifth character when a position does not require special qualifications or an individual is not qualified for award of an SQI

SKILL QUALIFICATION IDENTIFIERS

- A - Technical Intelligence
- C - NBC
- D - Civil Affairs
- E - Military Mountaineering Instructor
- F - Flying Status
- G - Ranger
- H - Instructor

I - Installer (Electronic)

K - Logistics NCO

L - Linguist

M - First Sergeant

N - Joint Planner

O - No Special Qualifications

P - Parachutist

Q - Equal Opportunity Advisor

R - Research, Development, Test, And Evaluation

V - Ranger Parachutist

X - Drill Sergeant

Z - Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Program

2 - Training Development

4 - Non-Career Recruiter

7 - Special Operations Aviation

SIXTH AND SEVEN CHARACTERS

(42A1L00)These characters show Additional skill Identifiers (ASI). They will be an ALPHA-NUMERIC or NUMERIC- ALPHA combination. They are used to identify specialized skills closely related to but in addition to, those in the basic MOS. The number 00 will be inserted when a position does not require and ASI or a soldier is not qualified for award of an ASI.

ADDITIONAL SKILL IDENTIFIERS FOR MOS

A3 - Force Development (E7 & above)

2S - Battle Staff Operations (E6 & above)

2B - Air Assault

4A - Reclassification Training

5W - Jumpmaster

6T - Military Auditor (Reserve Comp Only)

8P - Competitive Parachutist (E5 E7)

OTHER ADDITIONAL SKILL IDENTIFIERS

A9 - Patrol Dog Handler

B4 - Sniper

D1 - Bread Baking

F5 - Postal Operations

F7 - Pathfinder

Q9 -Traffic Accident Investigation

Z5 - Enlisted Aide

EIGHT AND NINE CHARACTERS

(42A1L00GE These are 2-letter combination that identify foreign language requirements and qualifications. The letter 00 will be used when no foreign language is required or a soldier's qualification are undetermined.

GE - German

FR — French

LA — Latin American Spanish

KS - Korean